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Filed : June 30, 2001  
For : SOLENOID VALVE HAVING A YOKE WITH  
YOKE PINS AND A CLAPPER ARMATURE  
Examiner : Pedro J. Cuevas  
Art Unit : 2834

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the office action in the above-identified utility application.

() An extension of time to respond for \* month(s) is hereby requested.

Time Extension Fee:

- () one month (\$55 small entity)
- () two months (\$200 small entity)
- () three months (\$460 small entity)

Enclosed are:

- (X) Amendment and marked-up version thereof showing changes made in sixteen (16) pages.
- (X) Substitute specification under 37 CFR 1.125(b) with marked-up specification showing changes made.
- (X) Request for approval of drawing changes in two (2) pages.
- (X) Separate sheet of Abstract after amendment.
- (X) Certified copy of German Patent Application No. 100 34 033.4 under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d).
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AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner  
of Patents and Trademarks  
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Dear Sir:

This amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed September 11, 2002 from the United States Patent and Trademark Office for the above-identified patent application. Please make the following changes:

IN THE DRAWINGS:

Applicant has filed concurrently herewith a request for approval of drawing changes in which a reference numeral "4.2" in Fig. 1 is changed to --4.3-- to be consistent with the description in the specification.

IN THE ABSTRACT:

The abstract of the disclosure has been replaced with the following:

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